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TAPS SOUND FOR CONFEDERATE VET

Wyle Colbert Dies in Hancock; Married to Miss Mary Blanford of Breckinridge.

Mr. Wyle Colbert, familiarly known as "Uncle Wyle," died at his home near Cullen, January 27, at 10 p. m., death being due to a complication of diseases. He was born on September 20th, 1844, making him 77 years, 4 months and days at the time of his death.

He enlisted in the Confederate Army, September 3rd 1862 at Iron Ore Hill Daviess county, in Captain Clay Merriweather's Company, Co. H. 10th Kentucky Cavalry. He was captured in 1863 and imprisoned in Camp Douglas Chicago, at which place he remained until Feb. 24th, 1865, when he was sent to Richmond Virginia and placed in "parole camp" where he remained until the close of the war.

He was married to Miss Mary Blanford, of Breckinridge County to this union two children were born, Mrs. Lena Taylor and Hulman Colbert, both of whom survive, with twelve grandchildren. Deceased had been ill about five months.

The funeral services were conducted at the grave by Rev. Felix Barker at 2:30 p. m., Friday. Interment being made on his own farm in a place selected by him before his death.

NEW GOV'T DAM NEAR NEWBURG

Government May Take Over Contract If No Private Contractor Can Be Found.

The new Government dam in the Ohio river will be located below Newburg, Ind., if the recommendations of government engineers who have been examining the sites, are followed. A rock bottom has been discovered near this location.

The dam at Newburg will be No. 47. Another dam to be constructed near Grandview, Ind., and Lewisport, Ky., is No. 46, the one at Addison being No. 45.

It is stated that the Government may take over the contract for the dam at Newburg if no private contractor can be found.

GEORGE W. POHL, WELL KNOWN MAN OF PERRY COUNTY IS DEAD.

George Washington Pohl, proprietor of the old famous Sunlight Hotel in Cannelton, is dead at the age of 60 years. His death occurred in Louisville, Saturday, Jan. 29, where he had been confined in a hospital nine weeks. His remains were buried in Cliff cemetery in Cannelton. Mr. Pohl started the "Only Sunlight Hotel," as he termed it, in 1888. The hotel was said to have been fashioned after a steamboat and each room was named after a state in the U. S. A., and was renowned for its culinary department. It was destroyed by fire on Jan. 31, 1917.

R. T. POLK ON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

R. T. Polk, of Cloverport, was one of the members named on the Breckinridge County Board of Supervisors by Judge Kincheloe. Other members of the Board are: G. D. Shelman, Hardinsburg; A. C. Gilbert, Stephensport; W. T. Dowell, Garfield; V. D. Bennett, Custer, and Henry Cary, of Rockvale.

The new members were appointed at the January term of County Court. They will hold their first meeting the second Monday in March.

STINNETT DIES OF PNEUMONIA

Father of Fifteen Children, Five of Whom Survive; Formerly Lived in Breckinridge.

Robert Stinnett, Sr., age 84, died after an illness of one day of pneumonia, at the home of his son, Wortham Stinnett, at Ensor, Hancock county, Thursday morning.

Mr. Stinnett was a West Virginian by birth. He had been living in Lewisport the past fifteen years and previous to that, he was a resident of Breckinridge county a number of years. He was a farmer. Twelve years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Stinnett celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. The latter has been dead two years.

Mr. Stinnett was one of the oldest members of the Lewisport Baptist church. He was the father of fifteen children, five of whom survive him. They are: Mrs. Emma Sipes, Louisville, Mesdames. Mattie and Emma Hud, of Detroit, Mich., Wortham, of Ensor, and Robert, Jr., of Yelvington. His remains were interred in the Lewisport cemetery.

COUNTY POST OF AMERICAN LEGION TO ENTER TOWN FEBRUARY 12.

The American Legion will entertain all former soldiers, sailors, and marines at the Opera house, Hardinsburg Ky., Saturday night, February, 12th, 1921.

Hours: 7:30 to 12. Pictures: Romance "The A. B. C. of Love," five reels; Comedy, "The Foolish Age," two reels.

Refreshments. Boxing: Can match anybody. Music and everything. Come and bring a Buddy. If you don't you'll be sorry.

Drop us a card and let us know you will be here. Jas. E. McGary, Adjutant. Moorman Ditto, Commander.

MISS ESKRIDGE MADE HIGHEST GEN'L AVERAGE.

Hardinsburg, Feb. 8, (Special)—An examination held in Hardinsburg and High School, Jan. 28, and 29, to ascertain who were eligible to enter that institution. Fifty-eight took the examination held in Hardinsburg and Stephensport of whom eighteen passed.

Miss Wilhelmina Cook Eskridge headed the list with a general average of 91.10-11. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse R. Eskridge.

SMALLPOX CASE CREATES CHAOS

Cloverport Hotel Under Quarantine and Fifteen or More People are Discommoded.

A case of smallpox created quite a chaos among the inhabitants of the Cloverport Hotel, Saturday morning when the hostelry was put under quarantine and some fifteen or eighteen people were discommoded in being thrown out of their regular habitation.

A transient boarder, whose name is Craig, with his wife, arrived at the hotel Tuesday of last week. Mr. Craig became ill the next day and by Saturday his illness was pronounced smallpox, and Dr. B. H. Parrish, of this city, immediately put the hotel and all the occupants therein at the time under quarantine.

The proprietress, Mrs. Geo. Squires and her three daughters, Misses Susie, Maggie and Frances Squires, also Mr. R. F. Peters, Superintendent of the Cloverport Public school, a boarder were held under the quarantine. The other boarders sought abiding places elsewhere until the quarantine is lifted.

The Craig's are a young couple who came here from Virginia.

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Frank Mattingly, of The Castle, shipped to Borcorat, Kans., on Tuesday two coops of White Plymouth Rock, Fishel strain, chickens, valued at \$75.

The condition of Postmaster C. E. Lightfoot, who has been so ill, has shown improvement in the last few days.

Mr. Marion Weatherholt and Mr. David B. Phelps, have each, in the last week, drawn up petitions to secure the appointment as Postmaster to succeed Postmaster Lightfoot whose time expires in March. So far as it is known there are no other applicants.

Miss Mary Christina Hamman, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamman, is recovering from an illness of scarlet fever.

Mr. C. R. Claycomb and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Claycomb, of Webster, arrived here Monday and have gone to house-keeping in what is known as the Wilkerson property on Railroad street, which they have leased.

Messrs. Claycomb will get possession of their store from Oelge and Carroll this week and will continue in the same line of business under the name of Claycomb Bros.

Cyril Lyons has moved his family from Cannelton, into the house on the late Waldo Simon's farm in Tobinsport, which was recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Heber Hawkins, who moved to Lake, Indiana.

Rev. L. K. May, presiding elder of the Owensboro district Methodist churches, underwent an operation for appendicitis at St. Joseph's Infirmary, Louisville, Friday morning. Dr. Abel performed the operation.

Mumps and chicken pox have been prevalent among the older and young people of the Big Spring neighborhood.

STATEMENT OF UNCLAIMED DEPOSITS

Following is list of deposits in the Breckinridge-Bank of Cloverport, Cloverport, Ky., remaining unclaimed for five years, and this statement is in compliance with Article 592, Kentucky Statutes.

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| E. F. Boling | \$17.70 |
| F. D. Gray | \$10.00 |
| Lightfoot and Johnson | \$6.02 |
| Moorman Adams | \$15.45 |
| Thos O'Reilly | \$45.00 |
| Charles Smith | \$9.00 |

(Signed) Paul Lewis, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26th day of January 1921. Ray Lewis Heyser, Notary Public Breck. Co., Ky.

MEETS BROTHER IN EVILLE.

Mrs. Ed Kinder and daughters, Misses Bessie and Katie Kinder went to Evansville, Saturday to meet Mrs. Kinder's brother, Wavie Heffner.

Mr. Heffner had been in the Maywood Hospital Sedalia, Mo., and left there for Kansas City where he spent nineteen months with his sister, Mrs. Harry Rickets, recuperating. He is now in Cannelton with his father, Mr. Thos. Heffner.

LIVED IN BRECKINRIDGE IN HER GIRLHOOD DAYS.

Mrs. Sarah J. Newton, who came to Breckinridge county when quite young with her parents, from New York City, succumbed in Evansville, Jan. 27, of senility. She was the wife of Taylor Uewton, who survives with the following children: Mesdames. Annie Salmon, Mary Steller, Sallie Culpepper and Clara Ryan. Messrs. Archie, Mike, Charles and Thos Newton.

PIE SUPPER AT HOLT

There will be a pie supper Friday evening Feb. 11, at the school house in Holt, Ky., for the benefit of the Kentucky Children's Home.

LENTEN SEASON OPENED TODAY

Ash Wednesday Services Observed in St. Rose Catholic Church; Easter on Mar. 27.

Ash Wednesday services at 8:30 o'clock this morning opened the Lenten season with the parishioners of the St. Rose Catholic church in this city. The Lenten season, which commemorates the forty days' fast of Christ in the desert closes on Easter Sunday, March 27.

There will be no special service during Lent this year at the St. Rose church, but the members will observe the season in fasting and prayer.

One of the laws abolished during lent is that of forbidding fish and flesh at the same meal. Sunday is not observed as a fast day as all Sunday's are considered feast days. Those exempted from the precept of fasting include all under 21 years of age and those who have commenced their sixtieth year; the sick, infirm and convalescent, nursing mothers, and those engaged in hard labor or other duties that are a tax on their physical strength.

MRS. TALBOTT LIVES TO BE 91

Aged Woman of Big Spring Succumbs; Member Methodist Church 79 Years.

Big Spring, Ky., Feb. 7.—(Special)—Mrs. Margaret Ann Talbott died at her home near Big Spring, January 28, 1921, in her ninety-first year. She was born June 15, 1830 near Hardinsburg, and was a daughter of James and Nancy Berryman Moorman. She was a member of a large family of brothers and sisters all of whom have "crossed over" but one sister. She was first married to Nathan Board, May 5, 1857, who died six years later. Was again married to John Talbott, May 3, 1876. This splendid mother was of untiring energy, always busy serving those whom she loved best in this world, with an unflinching faith and trust in the Savior, she had served so long. A faith that left her beautiful face so calm and sweet in its last long sleep. She knew her Pilot's face before she "crossed the bar."

Three children survive her: Mrs. Annie Woodson, of Kansas City, Mo., Miss Sue M. Board and Nathan B. Board, of Big Spring. Six grandchildren: Henry, Anna and Tom Woodson, Lillian, Lena and Ezra Board. One sister, Mrs. Sue L. Board, of Louisville.

Funeral services were held by Rev. Allen at the Methodist church and her body laid to rest in the Methodist cemetery.

She had been a member of the Methodist church since she was 12 years old and until the last year she attended regularly the Sunday morning services. She was a subscriber to the Christian Advocate for over 50 years.

LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon Feb. 14, at the home of Mrs. James Cordrey.

Members of the Lucile Memorial Presbyterian church have begun having their regular prayer services each week on Tuesday evenings. This part of their worship has been abandoned for several months.

The Y. W. A. met Monday evening with Mrs. Frank Ferry at her home on River Street.

China Relief day was observed both in the Baptist and Methodist churches Sunday morning. Rev. Nail and Rev. Randolph made an appeal for the starving and suffering Chinese. A volunteer offering of \$6 was given among the Methodist church members.

FIRST JANUARY IN 26 YEARS WITHOUT SNOW PLOWS.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 2.—Geo. Kuelemmerlin, transportation superintendent of the electric company, declared today that the month just ended is the first January in his twenty-six years with the company that is not been necessary to use the snow plow or sweepers on the street car tracks.

PRESIDENT GOES TO THEATRE FIRST TIME IN 12 MOS.

Washington, Feb. 1.—President Wilson, accompanied by his wife, tonight went to a theatre for the first time since the beginning of his illness more than a year and a half ago. The president's party including his wife's brother, made its appearance unexpectedly at the performance of John Drinkwater's "Abraham Lincoln."

ADMINISTRATIONS NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of the late Mrs. Mary C. Tate are notified to present same properly proven to the undersigned in Cloverport, Ky., on or before March 1st, 1921. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate are requested to come forward and settle at once. Henry Tate, Administrator.

ATTENDED THE FUNERAL OF JOHN C. JARBOE

Those from out-of-town who attended the funeral of Mr. John C. Jarboe last Wednesday were: Messrs. James R. Skillman, Hugh N. Wood, Jack Moorman and Fred Ferry, of Louisville. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davidson, Messrs. John Sterrett, Eugene Sterrett and son, Marshall Sterrett, Herman Mass, Bartle Sterrett, Jim Baker, P. C. Arbara, Arch Clark, Ed Clark, Frank and Logan Tomer, Claude and Benton Ireland, all of Skillman, Ky.

EIGHTEEN PASS COUNTY EXAM

None From Cloverport Public School Make Passing Grade; Will Have Another Chance.

Out of the fifty-seven who took the county examination for common school diploma, which was held in Stephensport, Jan. 28, and 29, there were only eighteen who made passing grades and merited the diploma. None from the Cloverport Public school of the eighth grade were successful. However, those who failed will be given another opportunity in May.

The successful ones were: Misses Margaret Dutschke and Mary Dorothy Canary, of Stephensport; Brook Elder and Helen Elder, of Mooleyville; Ruth McCoy, Delta Cart, Hewell Frymire and Henry Basham, of Union Star; Wilhelmina Eskridge, Elroy Chancellor, Donald Walker, Mary Daily Beard and Lucy Beard, of Hardinsburg; Alice Hardin, of Hardinsburg, Route 3; Irene Beauchamp, of Lodiburg; Mattie Cudiff, of Garfield, Virgil Payne, of Mystic, and Edith Davis, of Garfield.

ELABORATE BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR TWO YEAR OLD.

Irvingto, Feb. 7, (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Chapin entertained at 12 o'clock dinner on Saturday, Feb. 5th in honor of their little son, Emmett Vernon's second birthday anniversary. The table was beautifully decorated in white and pink carnations and evergreens. Two candles burned during the noon hour. Covers were laid for Messrs and Mesdames. Ed McAfee, T. R. Bland, Tom Thomas, Frank Hall, Messrs. T. R. Blythe and Edward Morrison, Miss Mary Alice Morrison and Master Samuel Hall, Mesdames Jake Morrison and W. N. Holt.

Master Emmett Vernon is the possessor of a three coin commonwealth bank, donations were made by the guests to the amount of \$6.60 which finished out a collection of \$12.00 which the young man deposited in the bank. Hilbert Legrand, Fordsville sent a nice donation. A number of other gifts were received. Mrs. Lucy Polk, Cloverport sent a delicious box of candy, and Mr. Ed Gregory sent an immense celluloid policeman, other gifts too numerous to mention were received. The afternoon was spent in games and beautiful music was furnished on the piano and Victrola. All left wishing Master Vernon many more birthdays and happy ones like this.

SHEFFIELD TWINS ARE GRADUATED FROM SHAKE-SPEARE GRADED SCHOOL.

Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Sheffield, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sheffield, of 4211 Berkley Avenue, Chicago, were graduated with honors from the Shakespeare Elementary school in that city. There were thirty-six graduates and the Sheffield twins were the youngest, having retook part as "Fairies."

At the graduation exercises, special mention was given the five who ranked highest in each study. The Misses Sheffield were mentioned in: Perfect attendance, English, Geography and Spelling. In addition to the exercises, the class presented a play, "Cinderella," in which the Misses Sheffield celebrated their twelfth birthday. Mrs. Sheffield, the mother of the twins, was before her marriage, Miss Elizabeth Lamb, of this city. The twins entered the Hyde Park High School on Jan. 31st.

STR. QUEEN CITY PASSED CLOVERPORT TUES. EVE ENROUTE TO MADRID GRAS.

The steamer Queen City, which was on her first Madrid trip to New Orleans, passed Cloverport last Tuesday evening about 8:30 o'clock. Only those, who by chance were within view of the river, had the opportunity to see this steamer, the first one to make a through trip since before the World War.

There were 182 passengers aboard occupying all of the available cabins and space. The steamer was in command of Capt. William Dupre, and will make her return trip Feb. 14.

MARRIAGE SURPRISE TO THEIR MANY FRIENDS.

Garfield, Feb. 7.—(Special)—Robert Franklin Smith, of Garfield and Miss Louise May, of Webster, surprised their many friends by going to Jeffersonville, Saturday and getting married.

LICENSE ISSUED IN O'BORO.

Marriage license was granted in Owensboro last week to Sanford Critchlow, age 32, and Miss Annie Frances Hole, age 24, both of Axtel, Ky.

ROAD CONTRACT TO BE LET FEB. 24

Bids Are Being Advertised Now; Bids Through Corporation Limits Advertised Later.

According to information from Judge Kincheloe, of Hardinsburg, who has been in communication with the State Road Engineer Boggs, bids for the Federal Highway in Breckinridge and Hancock counties are being advertised and the contracts are to be let Feb. 24. The contracts for each county will be let separately.

The contract for Breckinridge county's part of the Federal highway includes the routes from the Meade county line to the corporate limits of Hardinsburg.

The contract for the building of the road through the corporate limits of the cities of Hardinsburg, Cloverport and Irvington has not been advertised as yet, was the information given The Breckinridge News by Judge Kincheloe. He stated Mr. Boggs had informed him that the plans and specifications for the Cloverport bridge were not completed yet and the contract could not be advertised for bids until these plans were finished.

The rights-of-way for the federal road beginning with the Cloverport-Hardinsburg pike to the Hancock county line are being secured this week, and it is believed this part of the work will be finished by the last of this week.

Advertising of bids on the contract for the road through the three town corporations is to be done shortly.

GRADE PUPILS ON HONOR ROLL

Eighteen Eligible For Honors During January; High School to be Published Next Month.

The following pupils of the Cloverport Public School were placed on the honor roll for the month of January:

First Grade—James Beavin, Mary Elizabeth Davis, Robert Newton. Two pupils in this grade were eligible last month, but for some reason their names were overlooked. They are: Jane Keil and Eva Swartz.

Third Grade—Elmer Lee Newton.

Fourth Grade—Malora Harrington, Vivian Powers.

Fifth Grade—Bessie Keil.

Sixth Grade—Katherine Phelps, Mayme B. Sawyer.

Seventh Grade—Marian Behen, Emili Harrington.

Eighth Grade—Lucia Blythe, Herbert Downs, Margaret Gregory, Carrie Mae Jackson, Lucile Kinder, Jane Sawyer, Ernest Edward Tatum.

High School—Because of the fact that the grades of the High School pupils are not yet made out, the names of those eligible for the honor roll will not be published until next month.

SAM BROWN TAKES BRIDE FROM HARDINSBURG.

Mr. Sam Brown, of Hawesville, and Miss Ruby Eskridge, of Hardinsburg, were married in Jeffersonville, Ind., Monday, Jan. 31st.

Mr. Brown, who was connected with the Brown's Perfecto Mantel Burner Co., in Hardinsburg, recently moved to Hawesville, where he owns a restaurant, and also operates a candy kitchen and bakery in connection with the restaurant.

Mrs. Brown is the daughter of Roscoe Eskridge, of Hardinsburg. Mr. and Mrs. Brown will reside in Hawesville.

HERE'S HARDING'S WARDROBE FOR INAUGURATION.

Here's Senator Harding's inauguration wardrobe, being tailored by Paul Gettman, of Toledo:

Two cutaway coats, one frock coat, two dinner coats, two dress suits, one frock overcoat, two spring overcoats, six pairs of flannel trousers and twelve silk waistcoats, eleven business suits, three overcoats, six pairs of trousers and six fancy waistcoats.

ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS AND ELIZABETHTOWN MIRROR CONSOLIDATED.

Elizabethtown, Ky., Feb. 3.—The Elizabethtown News owned and edited by H. A. Somers, and the Elizabethtown Mirror, owned and edited by Keen Johnson, have been consolidated, it was announced today. The Elizabethtown-Mirror Printing company which has been formed by business men here has bought the plant of the Elizabethtown Mirror. Mr. Somers is president of the new organization and C. W. Montgomery, vice president of the First Hardin National bank, is secretary-treasurer. The News will be published under the same name with Mr. Somers as editor and the subscription list of the Mirror will be continued by the new company under the name of the News. Mr. Johnson, a former service man, will take a four-year course in journalism in Lexington.

VALENTINE SOCIAL IS POSTPONED.

The Valentine social, which the Parent-Teachers Association was to have given on Friday evening of this week, has been postponed indefinitely owing to various reasons.

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